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February 24, 2005

Honorable James H. Welsh Commissioner of Conservation Department of Natural Resources Office of Conservation P. O. Box 94275 Baton Rouge, Louisiana 70804-9275

RE:

Proposed Substitute Unit Well

8600' Sand

8700' Sand, Reservoir B

8900' Sand

**BASTIAN BAY FIELD** 

Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana

Dear Sir:

Application is hereby made on behalf of Hilcorp Energy Company for the calling of a public hearing, after ten (10) days legal notice, to consider evidence relative to the issuance of orders pertaining to the following matters relating to the 8600' Sand, 8700' Sand, Reservoir B, and the 8900' Sand in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, for which units were established and rules and regulations adopted by Office of Conservation Order No. 339-FF, effective December 1,1964, Order No. 339-Z-1, effective May 14, 1996 and Order No. 339-H-1, effective May 1, 1958 respectively.

## FOR THE 8600' SAND (ORDER NO. 339-FF)

- 1. To designate Hilcorp Energy Company LL & E No. 30-D Well (SN218455) as a substitute unit well for the 8600' Sand in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, as shown on the plat which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. Except as may be in conflict with the provisions hereof, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 339-FF, effective December 1, 1964 shall remain in full force and effect.
  - 3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

The Phillips Petroleum Company - Fasterling No. 1 Well, the present unit well, ceased to produce from the 8600' Sand and was plugged and abandoned on September 5, 1990. The proposed substitute unit well will allow for the recovery of hydrocarbons within the existing unit which would otherwise be lost.

The 8600' Sand, in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 339-FF, effective December 1, 1964.

## FOR THE 8700' SAND, RESERVOIR B (ORDER NO. 339-Z-1)

- 1. To designate Hilcorp Energy Company LL & E No. 30-D Well (SN218455) as a substitute unit well for the 8700' Sand, Reservoir B, in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, as shown on the plat which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. Except as may be in conflict with the provisions hereof, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 339-Z-1, effective May 14, 1996 shall remain in full force and effect.
  - 3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

The Hilcorp Energy Company (formerly Phillips Petroleum Company) - LL & E No. 27-D Well, the present unit well, ceased to produce from the 8700' Sand in December, 1997. The proposed substitute unit well will allow for the recovery of hydrocarbons within the existing unit which would otherwise be lost.

The 8700' Sand, Reservoir B, in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 339-Z-1, effective May 14, 1996.

## FOR THE 8900' SAND (ORDER NO. 339-H-1)

- 1. To designate Hilcorp Energy Company LL & E No. 30-D Well (SN218455) as a substitute unit well for the 8900' Sand in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, as shown on the plat which is attached hereto and made a part hereof.
- 2. Except as may be in conflict with the provisions hereof, the provisions of Office of Conservation Order No. 339-H-1, effective May 1, 1958 shall remain in full force and effect.
  - 3. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent to this application.

The Phillips Petroleum Company - Fasterling No. 1 Well, the present unit well, ceased to produce from the 8900' Sand and was plugged and abandoned on September 5, 1990. The proposed substitute unit well will allow for the recovery of hydrocarbons within the existing unit which would otherwise be lost.

The 8900' Sand, in the Bastian Bay Field, Plaquemines Parish, Louisiana, was fully defined in Office of Conservation Order No. 339-H-1, effective May 1, 1958.

There are attached hereto and made a part hereof plats identifying the subject units created by Conservation Order Nos. 339-FF, 339-Z-1 and 339-H-1, along with the location of the proposed substitute unit well. Pursuant to the Revised Rules of Procedure, a list of names and addresses of the Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties to whom this application is being sent is being furnished only to the Commissioner of Conservation and to the District Manager of the Lafayette District of the Office of Conservation. However, the list will be provided to any party requesting a copy. A diligent effort was made to ascertain the names and addresses of all Interested Owners, Interested Parties and Represented Parties as required by the Revised Rules of Procedure.

Finally, there is enclosed our check on behalf of the applicant, Hilcorp Energy Company, in the sum of \$2,265.00 payable to the Office of Conservation and representing the required hearing application fee.

Sincerely,

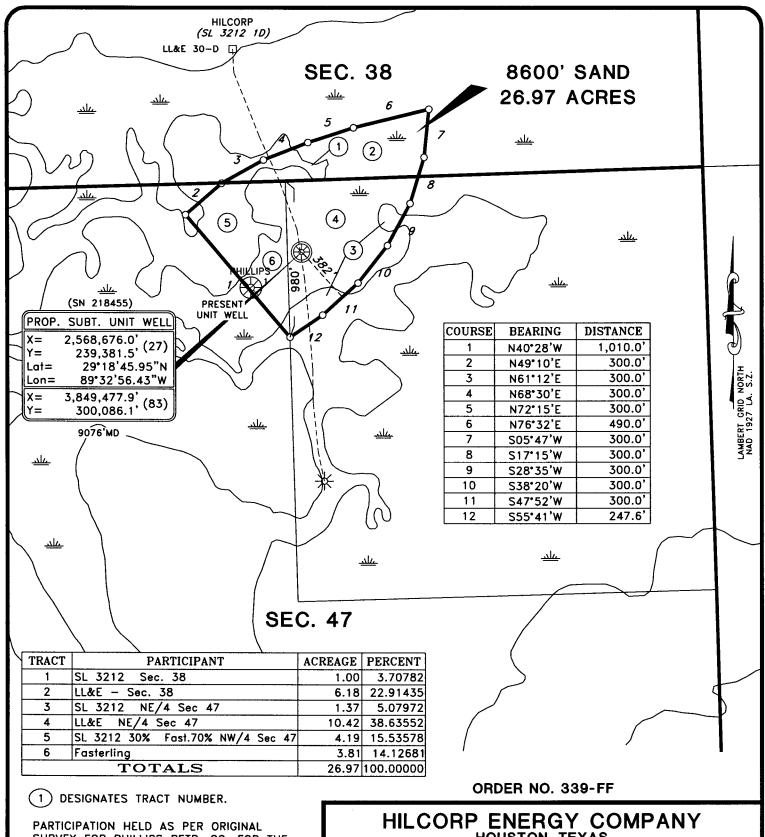
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Interested Parties, Interested Owners and Represented Parties



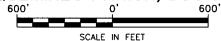
SURVEY FOR PHILLIPS PETR. CO. FOR THE 8600 FOOT SAND UNIT LA. CONSERVATION #339-FF DATED REV. 2/16/65.

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8600' SAND **BASTIAN BAY FIELD** PLAQUEMINES PARISH, LOUISIANA



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